

COUNCIL SUPPLEMENTARY AGENDA

22 July 2026

The following report is attached for consideration and is submitted with the agreement of the Chairman as an urgent matter pursuant to Section 100B (4) of the Local Government Act 1972

7 RECOMMENDATIONS AND REPORTS (Pages 3 - 4)

Question from Labour Group attached

**Zena Smith
Head of Committee & Election
Services**

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COUNCIL 22 JULY 2026, AGENDA ITEM 7A – HAVERING YOUTH JUSTICE SERVICE PLAN, 2026-27

Question on behalf of the Labour Group

Given this administration's stated aims, I hope they will agree with me that we should measure outcomes, not activity.

Throughout the document there is a strong emphasis on early help, family support, diversion and addressing unmet needs. What I am interested in is not simply whether those interventions take place, but how future annual updates will demonstrate their effectiveness.

How will specific prevention activities be tracked, measured and linked to outcomes, so that resources can be prioritised towards the interventions which are demonstrably most effective and represent the best value for money?

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